

Administrative Costs Request

Please submit the following documentation as part of the 2012 small and large employer group rate factor review process for commercial health insurance issuers in Rhode Island undertaken by the State of Rhode Island Office of the Health Insurance Commissioner (OHIC).

1. Please provide a Microsoft Excel spreadsheet in the following format, detailing the 2011 actual and 2013 requested small and large group administrative costs on a per member per month (PMPM) basis, allocated among the National Association of Insurance Commissioner's (NAIC) financial statement administrative cost categories. Please explain any significant changes from the financial filing for 2011 (increases/decreases of more than five percent in a particular category).

Requested Small and Large Group Administrative Costs

	2011 Actual (from Filed Financial Statements)		2013 Proposed		% Change		
	Small Group	Large Group	Small Group	Large Group	Small Group	Large Group	
Total Estimated Member Months							
Total Estimated Premiums (\$PMPM)							
Total General Administrative Expense (\$PMPM)							
Total Cost Containment Expense							
Total Other Claim Adjustment Expense							
Breakdown of General Administrative Expense (\$PMPM)							
Payroll and Benefits							
Outsourced Services (EDP, claims, etc.)							
Auditing and Consulting							

	2011 Actual (from Filed Financial Statements)		2013 Proposed		% Change	
	Small	Large	Small	Large	Small	Large
Commissions	Group	Group	Group	Group	Group	Group
Marketing and						
Advertising						
Legal Expenses						
Taxes, Licenses, and						
Fees						
Reimbursements by						
Uninsured Plans						
Other Administrative						
Expenses						

2. Please also provide a Microsoft Excel spreadsheet in the following format, detailing actual calendar year 2007 to 2011 **fully insured commercial administrative costs**—in accordance with the following table. This should be consistent with the annual statement filings to OHIC for administrative costs, providing additional detail on the components of administrative costs using the categories defined by the NAIC financial statement and as allocated to commercially insured business only. Specifically, the information provided should agree with the "Exhibit of Premiums, Enrollment and Utilization" and the "Analysis of Operations by Line of Business" schedules included in the annual statements on file with OHIC. Where there are variances, a reconciliation and explanation should be provided.

Fully Insured Commercial Administrative Cost History

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	
Total Premiums						
Total General						
Administrative Expense						
General Admin Expense						
Ratio						
Total Fully Insured						
Member Months						
General Administrative						
Expense (\$PMPM)						
Breakdown of General Administrative Expenses (\$PMPM)						
Payroll and benefits		_				
Outsourced Services						
(EDP, claims etc.)						

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	
Auditing and consulting						
Commissions						
Marketing and						
Advertising						
Legal Expenses						
Taxes, Licenses, and Fees						
Reimbursements by						
Uninsured Plans						
Other Administrative						
Expenses						
Other						
Cost Containment						
Expense						
Other Claim Adjustment						
Expense						
Self-insured Self-insured						
Total Self-insured						
Member Months for All						
Affiliated Companies						
Doing Business in Rhode						
Island						

- 3. At the request of OHIC's Health Insurance Advisory Council, please provide brief answers to the following questions:
 - In general and net of new taxes and fees, why should the rate of increase in issuer administrative costs exceed the general inflation rate?
 - What percentage of administrative costs does your organization consider fixed for the next five years? Provide detail by expense categories.
 - What administrative services are used by fully insured members that are not used by self-insured clients (e.g., broker commissions) and what are the estimated total costs (\$PMPM) for those services?
 - What does your organization use as its PMPM benchmarks or price points for commercial administrative costs and why?

Thank you for your cooperation.